

The Newmarket Era

FOUNDED 1892

ONTARIO'S FIRST PAID-IN-ADVANCE WEEKLY
AND MEMBER OF CANADIAN WEEKLY
NEWSPAPERS ASSOCIATION.

PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY, TWO DOLLARS PER YEAR IN
ADVANCE, THREE DOLLARS FOR TWO YEARS.
SINGLE COPIES FIVE CENTS EACH.

ANDREW OLDING HEBB
RUTH DINGMAN HEBB
EDITORS AND PROPRIETORS
10 MAIN ST., NEWMARKET

THURSDAY, JULY 18TH, 1940

PICTURE OF A POLITICIAN AT WORK

Prime Minister Mackenzie King presents the picture of a man at work, engaged in an activity where he has repeatedly shown himself a master — a politician even now busy winning the next election. And, mark you, he will win it too.

Isn't it strange that the one man in recent times who has come to the leadership of one of the traditional political parties with an academic and student background should be the chief partisan of them all? Faced a few years ago with the greatest economic crisis in Canadian history, unemployment which was threatening Canadian homes with hunger and misery, he wouldn't give "a five-cent piece" to a provincial government which differed in political stripe from his own. Today Hitler knocks at the door and Mr. King demands personal loyalty to himself as an essential qualification for membership in the cabinet.

There is politics in almost every move the government makes. The party holds tight to every cabinet post and so controls the patronage. The government is even now looking at the next election. We do not know who is getting the \$900,000,000 that Canadians are spending for war this year, but we do know who is handing it out. There was brave talk last fall about Canadians paying for this war as they went along, in order to avoid economic disaster after the war is over. There was talk of terrific burden of taxation. But what happened? A few weeks ago Finance Minister Ralston (whom we excuse from any charge of playing politics, for we believe he went into the government solely for the war emergency and will probably leave it when the war is over) budgeted for a deficit of "\$550 million to \$600 million." Mr. Ralston said: "This will be a staggering deficit, larger indeed than our total governmental expenditures during the depression years."

With war expenditures of \$850,000,000 to \$900,000,000 forecast for the present fiscal year, the government proposed new taxes which will bring \$110,500,000 this year, and only \$280,100,000 in a full fiscal year. Why? There again may be discerned the restraining hand of Mr. King, who does not wish to make his administration unpopular, in view of the fact that there will be another election one of these years.

The budget fixed the excess profits tax at 75 per cent when public opinion was calling for a 100 per cent tax. The income tax, with the new increases, is not yet as heavy as Britain's. Quote Mr. Ralston: "Take a married man with no dependents living in Ontario. If he receives an income of \$1,000 he will pay no tax in Canada.... while his British cousin in like circumstances would pay \$14.31." According to Mr. Ralston the married person with no dependents earning \$1,500 pays 21 per cent of what his old country cousin would pay. This percentage increases with the larger incomes, but even the man with \$50,000 income pays only 82 per cent of what his British cousin would pay.

The government proposes to make up the deficit by borrowing about \$600,000,000 this year. "These are impressive sums but I know that they are not beyond the capacity of our markets to absorb under the conditions of expanding business and rising national income," says Mr. Ralston. At another point Mr. Ralston said: "I think the house will agree that a very serious effort is being made to carry the pay-as-you-go policy as far as is practicable." We agree that Mr. Ralston probably went as far as Mr. King, with an eye on the next election, would let him.

If Canadians cannot pay more than one-third of the cost of the war at a time when the government is putting in circulation an extra \$900,000,000, and the British government is said to be spending a million dollars a day in Canada, when can they ever hope to pay for the war? What pinch will there be if the people are to pay back in taxes only \$1 for every \$4 which the British and Canadian governments are spending in Canada for war purposes? There will be a pinch on some people, of course, because others are going to get a lion's share of the government's largesse.

Here are some of the people who will feel the pinch. Quote Mr. Ralston: "A farmer offers me the total proceeds of his 400-acre wheat crop, and the increases of his livestock for Canada's war chest. The wife of a small wage-earner begs me to place a heavy income tax on her own small income. A small industrial firm agrees to give all its profits for the duration of the war. A veteran of 1914, with disability pension of \$47 a month as the sole income of a family of five, sends me all he has to give, a collection of old coins, and the caretaker of one of our militia armories sends me \$20 each month."

And while these people are making their

sacrifices, and other small wage-earners are squeezing the family budget to lend the government money with war stamp purchases, Mr. King plans to spend \$10,000,000 on an unneeded C.N.R. station in Montreal.

LOYALTY STILL A FACTOR

One's faith in human nature is restored by the statement of President Hamblin of Norway, now a refugee in New York, that Germans, not Norwegians, betrayed Norway, in a dispatch to the Toronto Globe and Mail. "The occupation was no sense an inside job," he said. "It was not made easy by Norwegian connivance." He blamed the Nazis for spreading stories of treachery in each country they have invaded.

"Hitler works the fifth-column idea for all it's worth. He wants to create the impression that there are thousands, even millions of Nazi sympathizers everywhere." In other words, Hitler's propaganda arm is busy destroying the world's faith in human nature. He tries to break Allied morale by making the Allies distrust their own citizens.

That explains a lot. As we looked ahead to this war a year ago we thought that Germany would be a seething mass of rebellion. Instead, we found that the Germans were solidly Nazi and that seemingly the traitors and rebels were all on the Allied side — that is the way Nazi propaganda has made it appear. President Hamblin's words should be encouraging.

President Hamblin tells another story which restores one's faith in German character. Among the advance troops invading Norway were Germans in Norwegian uniforms who spoke Norwegian well. These boys had been guests of Norwegian families during two winters of starvation in Germany, and believed that they were in Norway to help their Norwegian friends to repel an Allied invasion. According to President Hamblin, there were several suicides among these boys when they discovered the truth that they themselves were the invaders. Germans aren't all Hitlers and Norwegians aren't all Quislings.

There weren't enough Quislings in Norway for Quisling to form a government with, President Hamblin said. No one would join his Nazi government. The Germans invaded Norway under the British, French and American flags, and Germans within Norway betrayed Norway to the enemy.

We still think that most people prefer to be honest and loyal to their own country, their kinsmen and their friends. While remembering that there is a higher loyalty (for instance, the loyalty to the democratic ideal of the German who refuses to fight for Hitler and even fights against his own country or the loyalty to Christian pacifism of the British conscientious objector who refuses to fight at all), it is reassuring to know that loyalty to one's fellows is still strong in the world and that the talk today about traitors is overdone — even Nazi-inspired.

A HARSH JUDGMENT

In our spy-seeking zeal there is a danger that we may forget what our country is fighting for. We are fighting so that men will still have the right to speak and write their thoughts, meet together and criticize the government, worship God according to their own consciences or not at all if they please, live their own lives, and when they make a mistake receive a fair trial in an open court.

In Newmarket police court this week an Austrian was charged with illegal possession of firearms. He was unnaturalized. A constable visited his home and asked if he had any firearms. He said that he had not. He had had a shotgun but he had sold it. Where? he was asked. To a second-hand dealer on Queen St., Toronto. The constable went away, but the alien's conscience began to bother him. He had not sold his gun but had turned it over to a friend in Toronto, who was to sell it in satisfaction of money owing to him. The second party had not been able to sell it. The accused man went to the city, obtained the gun from the friend, telling him he had to turn it over to the police. This he did, and the police laid a charge of unlawful possession of a firearm.

Magistrate McIlveen used bad judgment in imposing a \$10 fine, in addition to confiscation of the firearm. The offence, if any, was technical, as the crown attorney stated. The man had told a lie as to how he had disposed of his shotgun, but to tell a lie is not yet a crime in Ontario. The accused man probably could not have been fined even if the police had found the gun in the possession of a friend. The Austrian would have been able to say that it was no longer his gun. It was only because the Austrian was such a decent fellow and went a little farther than the average Canadian would have gone to co-operate with the police that the court was able to register a conviction.

Confiscation of the firearm would have been sufficient punishment, if any punishment was necessary. Addition of a \$10 fine amounts to persecution, the sort of treatment one would expect in a Nazi court. More than that, the magistrate's decision will not encourage other aliens to co-operate with the police but rather will have the opposite effect.

Toronto Globe and Mail says: "Tenderfoot members from the west complain of drafts in the house of commons, while bald heads representing the 'effete east' say they can take it. Thus is shattered another tradition." There is another draft coming which won't affect many members of the house, whether bald or head or tender of foot.

The British lost their first plane in on Wednesday over Malta, after five weeks of air fighting. Ten Italian aircraft have been shot down.

The U. S. national defence commission has placed orders in the last 40 days.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

Fearing that an invasion is imminent, the Irish Free State is working to strengthen their army and civilian defence measures. One hundred and twenty-five thousand men have joined the army in the past six months.

Major-General A. G. L. McNaughton has been given command of an army corps consisting of a British



THE CARDINAL OVERCOMES HER SHYNESS

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"It's nice here at the edge of the lake," said Young Chips, the Black-capped Chickadee, to Merry. "But it seems to me that there's nobody else here but those noisy Kingfishers. Imagine fishing for living!"

"Nonsense," replied Merry, his mate, as her bright eye wandered out over the water. "I see several other birds right from here. There's a graceful Black Tern flying over the water. I can tell by his dark plumage and smallness that he is not a Common Tern. Then there's a Great Blue Heron flapping over there on the water's edge, and I see a little Spotted Sandpiper bobbing along down on the beach."

"Yes, but they're not our crowd," objected Young Chips. "Mercy me, sometimes you amaze me with your channiness!" said Merry. "What would you expect up here at the lake? After all, we're not water or shore birds, are we? If you don't like it here, let's go back to that pasture we noticed, just behind this woods. It will be nice and sunny there. Come on children. One-two-three-four-five-six-seven. Yes, that's everybody."

"Why, this is very nice," Young Chips exclaimed as they reached the edge of the woods and arrived in the sunny pasture. "There's a Goldfinch over there." "Is that a Robin I hear singing over to the right?" asked Tim Chickadee. "No, I don't think so," replied Merry. "It doesn't sound just like one, but I can't quite place that song. Is it a Rose-breasted Grosbeak, Young Chips?"

A cheerful carolling sound, not quite as loud as the Robin's, and with a slightly different arrangement of notes, was coming from the direction of the trees at the edge of the woods.

"No, it's neither a Robin nor a Grosbeak," said Young Chips, after listening for a moment. "It's our friend, the Scarlet Tanager."

"Oh my," chirped one of the young Chickadees excitedly.

"Where is he, quick-quick? I've never seen one."

"I don't see him anywhere," Merry told her, "but he must be there. Why don't you go over and hunt for him?" Three of the youngsters took her advice and hustled over to the edge of the woods again, and began peering about among the thick green branches. After some time they came back, feeling rather disengaged.

"We just couldn't find him anywhere," said one. "Once we got over near him he stopped singing, and we hunted all over and he didn't seem to be anywhere."

"I'm not surprised," laughed Young Chips. "The Tanagers are quite shy in the summertime.

They like to hide in the green foliage. Too bad you didn't get a look at him though. He's worth seeing."

"That reminds me," mused Merry. "I heard the queerest thing about a shy bird yesterday. I could hardly believe it, but I know it's true, because Hattie Nuthatch told me and Mrs. Cardinal told her."

"What was it?" asked Young Chips.

"Well, you know that feeding station that is always kept filled with sunflower seeds for the Cardinals?" said Merry. "This day, it was just a few days ago, it had a few seeds in it, and the Cardinals came and very quickly ate them all up. It was in the morning and the man who had the feeding station for them thought there were plenty of seeds there. But Mrs. Cardinal was quite upset and wanted some more food very badly."

"So, finally she screwed up her courage and went over to the spot where the man was working in the garden. It was away around on the other side of the house from the feeding station and she alighted on a small tree near the spot where he was working and called and called to him, she said. For a while he just kept calling back, as he often does, and not paying any special attention. But then, after she persisted for so long, he finally went around to take a look at the feeding station, and of course, found it perfectly empty."

"I hope he filled it up right away," said Young Chips.

"He did," said Merry. "But I do think that was a rather remarkable thing for Mrs. Cardinal to do. She and her husband are so dreadfully shy and timid. I was quite staggered when Hattie told me."

Say "Ah," Doctor

Doctor—"Why did you deduct twenty-five cents when you paid my bill?"

Patient—"That was for the six cigars you broke when you thumped my chest."

HEADS C. W. N. A.

Sixty-three men were killed in a coal mine explosion at Somerton, Penn., on Monday. Twenty-one escaped.

Criticism of the government was voiced by Labor members in the British House of Commons this week with the announcement that the government plan to send children to Canada and the U. S. had been postponed. They charged that wealthy children were being sent while the poor children could not afford it.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

Fearing that an invasion is imminent, the Irish Free State is working to strengthen their army and civilian defence measures.

One hundred and twenty-five thousand men have joined the army in the past six months.

A bill for contributory unemployment insurance was introduced in parliament at Ottawa this week.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

The Royal Air Force has destroyed 2,513 German aircraft and made 295 successful bombing attacks on military objectives in Germany since last September.

**POLICE COURT
ALIEN SURRENDERS
GUN, STILL FINED \$10**

Daniel Watson, an 18-year-old youth, was sentenced to three months in the Ontario Reformatory in Newmarket police court Tuesday when he pleaded guilty to a charge of theft. Constable Morton, of the Township of North Gwillimbury, testified that the accused had stolen a wind-breaker from D. Crocker and a pair of shoes from Murray Love, when these two Keswick boys were swimming in Lake Simcoe. "Crocker and Love were swimming and had left their clothes on the Keswick beach," the

officer said. "These articles were stolen. They were later recovered at the home of Henry Evans and only \$1 was missing."

Crown Attorney N. L. Mathews, K. C., stated that the accused had a lengthy record and read a list of previous convictions that included theft, shop-breaking, and malicious damage.

"Have you any people here?" asked Magistrate W. McIlveen.

"No," replied the accused. "I was going to join the army. I didn't think at the time of what I was doing."

"You will have to make up your mind whether you are going to follow a life of crime or whether you are going to behave yourself," his worship said. "You must decide whether you are to spend most of your life down in Kingston or whether you will behave."

John Phillip, of King township, was fined \$10 and costs after being convicted of unlawful possession of a shotgun. He is an alien Austrian. County Constable Ronald Watt testified.

"On June 28, in the afternoon, I went to the home of Phillip in the Holland Marsh for the purpose of searching for firearms," stated the constable. "The accused is an Austrian and is not naturalized. He stated that he had had a gun, but that he had sold it. I questioned him as to where he had sold it. He said that he had sold it in a second-hand store on Queen St., Toronto. He was unable to remember what store. He advised me to search the house, saying that he had no gun."

"The next day, June 29, he appeared at the police station with this shotgun," continued Constable Watt. "He stated then that he had gone to Toronto for the gun, stating that he had left it at the home of a friend to be sold. I later found bullets at his home in the Holland Marsh."

Charles Evans, of Bradford, counsel for the accused, stated that the former reeve of King, Norman McMurchy, had "given the man a good recommendation."

Phillip testified that he had come to Canada in 1935. "I was intending to become naturalized," he said. He added that he had approached Mr. Evans previously to inquire how he should go about getting his papers and Mr. Evans had told him that he had not been in the country long enough to do that.

"Why did you tell a lie to the officer when he first came?" asked Mr. Mathews.

"I was nervous and I made a mistake," replied the accused.

Andrew Virag, of Toronto, testified that Phillip had given the gun to him to sell in payment of \$10 which he had loaned the accused. "But I couldn't sell it," said Virag. "Then Phillip came to me about three weeks ago and said that he had to take the gun to the police station."

Mr. Evans said that he was convinced that his client was telling the truth and that he would not have taken the case had he thought otherwise.

"I don't like the fact that he lied about it," said Crown Attorney Mathews. "However, there seems to be no ulterior motive, and I think that it was purely a technical breach of the law."

The magistrate ordered that the gun and ammunition be confiscated.

A fine of \$5 was levied against William J. Pickering, of Toronto, for failure to turn out from an oncoming car driven by Alfred Reardon, of Camp Borden, and thus causing an accident. Provincial Constable Alex. Ferguson testified that Pickering

had been driving over the centre of the road south of Bradford where the accident occurred. "He complained of the lights," said the officer.

"You had better be careful in the future," declared his worship.

"Have you any people here?" asked Magistrate W. McIlveen.

"No," replied the accused. "I was going to join the army. I didn't think at the time of what I was doing."

"You will have to make up your mind whether you are going to follow a life of crime or whether you are going to behave yourself," his worship said. "You must decide whether you are to spend most of your life down in Kingston or whether you will behave."

Charged with speeding, Constable Fisher Dunham, Aurora; William J. Sietz, Toronto, was fined \$6.50; Thomas Lully, Midland, \$9.50; Robert Faloon, Toronto, \$7.50; Cecil J. Weller, Toronto, \$7.50; George W. Kitchen, Toronto, \$7.50; William Reddy, Port McNicoll, \$7.50; H. J. Dury, Hamilton, \$7.50; George M. Leetzel, St. Thomas, \$7.50.

Charged with speeding, Constable Kenneth Mount, Newmarket; Isaac Caplin, Toronto, was fined \$6.50. Caplin admitted that he had exceeded the speed limit on Yonge St., but protested that it was the first time he had done so since he has been spending his summers at Lake Simcoe.

Other charges of speeding brought by Constable Mount resulted in fines for: Finley Munro, Toronto, \$9.50; Frank Miller, Toronto, \$9.50; Clifford Cleave, Bloomfield, \$6.50; Thomas Cass, Toronto, \$9.50; C. F. Rearden, Toronto, \$9.50.

Charged with having bad brakes, William F. Edgar, Newmarket, was fined \$11.50. Constable Joseph Jardine, East Gwillimbury, testified.

Gertude Ireland, Toronto, was fined \$20 and costs for speeding, Constable Ferguson. The officer testified that the accused had driven at a speed of 75 m.p.h. on Yonge St. Edward Buckman, Toronto, was fined \$10 and costs for speeding at a rate of 65 m.p.h. near Bond Lake. Stanley Watson, Toronto, was fined \$15 and costs on a similar charge, Constable Ferguson.

Charged with "attempt to pass," Ruth Sharpe, Hamilton, was fined \$5 and costs, as was Michael Taylor, King. Constable Ferguson brought both charges.

HOPE

Mr. Herb Tansley, who had the misfortune to sprain his ankle, is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Barker attended a shower in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mount at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Kettleby.

A number from here attended the Red Cross garden party last Wednesday evening at the Pioneer Park at Sharon.

Miss Mary Mills visited Mrs. Stanley Boyd last week.

Mr. Stanley Boyd spent last week with relatives at North Bergen, New Jersey, U.S.A., attending the funeral of his brother, Mr. Will Boyd.

The community extends its deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Boyd.

Mr. Mary Rolling, Mrs. Bruce Rolling and baby visited Mrs. S. Boyd on Wednesday.

Mr. Harold Stickwood is home from the hospital and is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pegg, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Stickwood,

Elton and Ronald, and Mr. Oscar Stickwood attended the Orange walk at Long Branch on Saturday last.

Little Ronnie Harrison visited Mrs. Arthur Wardell on Wednesday.

Holland Landing

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. Smith's parents.

Miss Gladys Bellar is progressing favorably after her recent operation.

Mrs. G. R. Tate, Mrs. W. C. McCullum, Mrs. S. W. Greig, Mrs. S. R. Goodwin and Lois attended a Red Cross tea at the home of Mrs. W. L. Bosworth, in Newmarket last Thursday.

Mr. Alvin Foster of the C.P.R. telephone is home ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sweezie and Mr. and Mrs. Harcourt Smith and son visited in Niagara Falls last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Goodwin visited Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Channen at Big Bay Point on Sunday.

Congratulations are extended to the senior public school teacher, William Blackstraw, on the success of his entire entrance class.

Kettleby

Miss Beatrice Clarkson of Aurora is spending this week at her home here.

Mrs. F. Bogart has been visiting Mrs. W. Curtis at Port Hope for several days.

Mrs. W. Nable of Toronto was a recent visitor at Mr. and Mrs. C. Gilson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis and son of Snowball were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webster.

Mr. Ed. Morris has been spending a few days with his son, Richard, in Toronto, before he leaves for Camp Borden.

Miss Jean MacDonald is holidaying with her grandparents in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Dolson of Beeton, Mr. and Mrs. N. Dolson of Woodbridge and Mr. Chas. Cameron were guests at Mr. and Mrs. Roy Geer's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Archibald and Mrs. J. Archibald and daughters were the guests of Mrs. M. Stewart at Lake Couchiching on Sunday.

Mr. Ed. Sykes of Calgary is visiting his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jewell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blatchford, Grace and Marjory Blatchford returning with them to Cambay, where they will spend a few weeks vacation with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnston and family of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. H. Burling and Mr. and Mrs. C. Burling and son of Newmarket were Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. B. Rae's.

Mrs. Ira Kaae of Kincardine is the guest of Mrs. S. Geer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Follett and Isabel spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Murray's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. James of Toronto spent a few hours on Saturday at Mr. and Mrs. C. West's, before leaving for Wasaga Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Greensides spent Sunday with Mrs. Greensides' mother, Mrs. Walls.

Vandorf

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morton of Oakwood visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. Foster and family on Sunday.

Miss Ruth Willis of Toronto is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Willis. Mrs. H. A. Switzer is holidaying at Fort Ryerse.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. White were Mr. and Mrs. Alan Lovelace and daughter, Ruth, of Agincourt. Mr. and Mrs. D. Martin, Mary and John of Weston, Mr. and Mrs. J. Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. J. Tidball and Mr. Timbers of Markham.

Miss Mildred Leath and Edwin Leath of Thornton, Galt, spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Roth, Carr and Mabel.

Miss Doris Phillips of Toronto is visiting Miss Olive Bestwick this week.

Misses Eulalie and Norma Kingdon have been holidaying at Midland for the past week.

Pine Orchard

An ice-cream social will be held on Thursday evening, July 18, at the hall grounds, sponsored by the Willing Workers and in aid of their Red Cross work. The Presbyterian church orchestra from Newmarket will furnish music during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hope and Miss Betty Hope and Miss Audrey Sproxton are spending a few days at Deanlea Beach, Georgian Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Evelyn of Aurora spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reid entertained the group that presented the play "The Path Across the Hill" on Thursday evening.

Mr. Clifford Lundy and daughters, of Toronto, are spending a few days at Mr. Wesley Lundy's.

Miss Mae Stevens of Toronto was home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnston have returned from their trip and are busy settling in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hall and son of South Porcupine visited the Misses Widdifield on Monday.

Mr. Gordon Stevens spent the weekend at Gravenhurst.

Miss Dora Dean of Newmarket

SCHONBERG

ROSE GARDEN IS SITE OF RED CROSS TEA

Mr. R. J. Hulse visited Mr. and Mrs. Lyons at Wasaga Beach recently.

Mr. Lister Dillane left last week to join a unit of the Ontario Medical Corps.

The local branch of the Canadian Red Cross sponsored a garden tea on the lawn and in the rose garden at the home of Dr. and Mrs. M. K. Dillane. The roses were in a profusion of bloom and presented a lovely picture.

A silver collection netted a tidy sum for the war work. Those assisting were Mrs. B. Graham, Mrs. Blake Skinner, Mrs. W. E. Dale, and Miss Olive Sutton, with Dr. and Mrs. Dilane entertaining the guests.

Members of the local Horticultural Society attended the picnic held at Midhurst on Wednesday, July 10.

The Anglican W. A. met for a quilting last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Stewart, eighth line.

The Red Cross headquarters here is open for work every Tuesday evening and Wednesday afternoon. Helpers are welcome.

The annual garden party of St. Patrick's church was held on Saturday evening in the town hall with a large crowd from the surrounding district on hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Marchant and Miss Audrey Marchant visited friends in Galt on Sunday. Miss Gwenyth Marchant returned home after a holiday there.

EVERSLY

FARMER HURT BY RUNAWAY TEAM

On July 11 the roadmen decorated the roads here with a broad band of orange paint ribbon, which was interpreted by loyal Orangemen as in honor of the "Glorious Twelfth."

Mrs. Buckle of Oakville is spending a week with her cousin, Mrs. Gellatly. Mrs. Gellatly has been compelled to rest for a few days.

Gerald Coulter of Toronto, his wife and four children, called at "Scots Wha Hae" last Wednesday evening. In his young days Gerald lived with the Fergusons and went to school here for a year.

Eversley store is no more. The Misses Gellatly have sold the stock to C. Mustard of King City and are decorating the spacious room, making it a living-room. Mrs. Jennie Gellatly Marshall has moved in with them, since the death of her husband, and the three sisters will live happily together.

The King United church W.M.S. held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Clifford Follett on Thursday. This was the afternoon of the rain, and thankfulness for the needed shower was a prevailing note.

Mrs. John Wade visited her daughter, Mrs. Scott Bovair, for a few days last week.

On Tuesday of last week Arthur Bovair's team ran away with a load of hay. Mr. Bovair, who was driving, was tipped off with the load, and suffered a slightly sprained ankle. Next day, while cutting hay in the orchard, a branch sprang up and cut him on the cheek. Not long ago he had a bad cut on his forehead. He has had one misfortune after another during the past year, but he always comes up smiling.

Ross Bovair, who has had jaundice, as had others of the school pupils, is better.

There was a large gathering of the friends of the late Florence Ferguson Tawse on Tuesday afternoon at King City cemetery.

There was a great profusion of beautiful flowers, honoring the 44-year-old wife and mother.

Her family were present with the exception of her aged mother, who lies very ill in St. Michael's hospital, Toronto. Her brother, Lindsay Ferguson, and her four sisters were present. Her husband, Malcolm Tawse and two daughters, Eileen and Lois, were grief-stricken, as the end came very suddenly after an operation.

The Tawse connection, the Ferguson clan and the Bovair and Scott relatives were present. The pallbearers were two cousins, Allan and Rodger Gellatly, and four life-long friends of Mr. Tawse, Alex. McDonald, Art. Wells, Harper Wells and Mr. Simpson.

Twenty-five cents pays for The Era for six weeks.

visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Hope on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reid entertained the group that presented the play "The Path Across the Hill" on Thursday evening.

Mr. Albert Boake and a friend of Stouffville, visited the Hutchisons on Sunday.

Mr. James Hope spent Thursday with his cousin, Mrs. Frank Prest, Newmarket.

St. Andrew's Missionary Auxiliary of Newmarket Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Wood on Tuesday evening.

A very interesting part of the program was a talk by Mrs. Jonathan Goforth, who spent

WHITCHURCH TOWNSHIP FARMER COMPENSATED FOR EXPECTANT COW

Isaac Pike, veteran farmer at Betheda, received compensation to the extent of \$75 for loss of a cow which died as a result of being chased by a dog that was later identified and shot by the township constable. Restitution was voted. Mr. Pike on Saturday at the regular meeting of Whitchurch township council.

WANT-ADS

The rate for Want Ads is 25 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 50 cents for two insertions; 50 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent; additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Cottage for sale—At Pine Beach, Lake Simcoe. Bargain for cash. Apply Dr. J. C. R. Edwards, Newmarket. c1w24

For sale—Chopping mill and property. Also house and lot. Inquire Wm. Mackie, Queenstown. *3w24

For sale—Stucco double house. Modern. Two good gardens. Garage. Both well rented. In good repair. Central. Out-of-town owner wishes to sell, and asks \$3,000, part cash. Taxes \$70. Nice place well-located and a good investment. E. A. Boyd, 17 Main St., Newmarket. c1w24

E. A. BOYD

17 Main St.
REAL ESTATE — For Sale:
Farms, Houses, Acres, Lots
INSURANCE—Automobile, Fire
and Casualty.

FOR RENT

For rent—A six-room stucco house, with garage attached. All modern conveniences, newly decorated. Situated two miles from Newmarket on the Sharon highway, possession Aug. 1. Apply Elgin Evans, Newmarket R.R. 1, phone 297-12. *3w24

Farm to rent—100 acres. Apply to Mrs. James Linskill, Queenstown. c2w24

FOR SALE

For sale—Mixed hardwood, \$2.50 single cord, softwood \$1.50, mixed wood \$2.25 double cords of round wood, elm, maple, birch, ash, \$7 a cord. Cement, gravel, coarse or fine, \$1 yd. delivered. Phone C. Bunker, 467-w-11. *2w23

For sale—Wicker carriage and baby's crib, 54 inches long, 9 Queen St. east. *3w23

Lumber for sale—12,000 feet, 1 x 6, 1 x 8, 1 x 10, Pine lumber, dressed, both sides tongue and groove; 3,000 ft., 2 x 4, 2 x 6, 2 x 8 Red Pine. On lot 85, Eagle St. *1w24

WANTED TO BUY
Wanted to buy—Girl's second-hand bicycle. Apply Era box 285. *3w24

USED CARS

For sale—1936 Ford coupe, Deluxe, splendid condition. Owner going to eastern Arctic. Apply Lockerbie's B. A. gas station, Pine Beach, Keweenaw. *2w24

FARM ITEMS

For sale—35 pigs weighing up to 70 pounds. John Maurer, R.R. 2, Newmarket. c1w21

For sale—Case thresher, 23 in. cylinder combination, complete with drive-belt. Apply H. Elliott, King Ridge farm, lot 17, con. 5, King. *1w21

CHICKS FOR SALE

Chicks for sale—Get your share of these day-old and started chicks and turkey bargains. Grade A White Leghorns, \$6.95; 90% pullets, \$11.40; cockerels, \$1.25; Barred Rocks, New Hamp., \$7.45; pullets, \$11.15; cockerels, \$12.50; Barred Rocks, \$8.45; White Rocks, \$7.95; pullets, \$11.95; cockerels, \$16.95; ten-day-old Barred Rocks, New Hamp., White Rocks, \$9.45; pullets, \$12.45; cockerels, \$7.95; Leghorn pullets, \$18.40. Two-week-old add one cent; three-week-old, add four cents. Turkeys, 23 cents; two weeks, add five cents; three-week-old, add ten cents. Tweedie Chick Hatcheries Limited, Fergus, Ont.

WORK WANTED

Work wanted—Married woman wishes work by the day or week. Apply 9 Queen St. *1w21

Work wanted—Widow, no encumbrance, desires housekeeper's position, one or two gentlemen. Capable, drives car, best references. Town or city. Write Era Box 281. *1w21

LOST

Lost—On Main St., Newmarket, last Friday morning, sealed envelope containing \$7. Reward. Apply Era box 283. *1w24

MISCELLANEOUS

Dog Owners—Dogs boarded by day, week or month. Clipping and washing. Prices reasonable. Basil Watson, Valcose Kennels, opposite cemetery. Phone 672. c3w23

TOWN OF NEWMARKET

SALE OF LANDS FOR TAXES

TAKE NOTICE that I have prepared a list of lands for sale for arrears of taxes and that copies thereof may be had at the Town Office, 99 Main St.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that in default of payment of the said taxes and costs, the lands will be sold for taxes on the sixth day of September, 1940, at 10 a.m. (Daylight Saving Time) in the Council Chambers, Main St., Newmarket.

DATED at Newmarket this tenth day of May, A.D. 1940.

N. L. Mathews,
Town Treasurer.

BIRTHS

Brown—At York county hospital, July 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brown, Newmarket, a son.

Brillinger—At York county hospital, July 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brillinger, Stouffville, a son.

Glover—At York county hospital, July 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Glover, Ravensehoe, a daughter.

Lepard—At York county hospital, July 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lepard, Queensville, a son.

Oldham—At York county hospital, July 11 to Mr. and Mrs. James Oldham (nee Alma Baker), Mount Albert, a son.

DEATHS

Coupland—At Newmarket, on Tuesday, July 16, Eva May Rye, wife of Ralph S. Coupland, in her 50th year. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Irvine—At Newmarket on Wednesday, July 17, 1940, Alma L. Thompson, beloved wife of Lewis F. Irvine, in her 38th year.

The funeral service will be held from the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on Friday, July 19, at 3 o'clock, D.S.T. Interment Queensville cemetery.

Lee—At Bradford, on Wednesday, July 17, Charlotte Ann Hodgson, wife of John H. Lee, in her 81st year.

The funeral service will be held on Saturday, at 2.30 p.m., D.S.T., in St. Paul's Church, Coulson's Hill. Interment St. Paul's cemetery.

Ostley—On Monday, July 15, William Edward Ostley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ostley, brother of Hazel (Mrs. Thos. Boland, Toronto) and Mazo (at home), in his 30th year.

The funeral service was held on Wednesday, July 17, Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Turner—At Stouffville, on Tuesday, July 16, Bertha Hamilton, wife of John Turner, in her 76th year.

The funeral service will be held from the late residence on Friday, July 19, at 2 p.m., E.S.T., Interment Stouffville cemetery.

Watson—Suddenly at Toronto, Wednesday, July 17, Wm. Henry Watson, husband of the late Margaret Lawson and father of Mrs. Howard William son, Brandon, Man, and of the late Roy Watson, Newmarket, in his 81st year.

Funeral service at his late residence, Lundy Ave., Newmarket, on Sunday, July 21, at 3 p.m., D.S.T., Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Widdifield—At Tottenham, on Sunday, July 14, Susan Widdifield, wife of the late F. C. Widdifield, in her 87th year.

The funeral service was held in the United church on Tuesday, July 16, Interment Pine Orchard cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Ralph Coupland and family wish to thank friends and neighbors for the many kind expressions of sympathy received during their recent sad bereavement.

In Memoriam

Archibald—In loving memory of a dear brother, James Anderson Archibald, who was accidentally killed July 20, 1929.

You will always be remembered By one who loved you dearly, Your loving smile I will never forget.

Ever remembered by his sister, Sarah Ellen.

Barker—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Harry Barker, who passed away July 12, 1937.

Through a long lane of shadows I am wandering alone, But a hand is gently guiding me Through the world unknown;

A voice keeps ever whispering, "Be brave and be true, At the end of the lane of shadow I'll be waiting for you."

Sadly missed by his wife and family.

Groves—In sad and loving memory of my dear husband, James B. Groves, who passed away July 17, 1927.

Sad year have passed since that day When one we loved was called away;

God took him home; it was his will—

Forgot him? No, we never will.

Lovingly remembered by his wife.

WORK WANTED

Work wanted—Married woman wishes work by the day or week. Apply 9 Queen St. *1w21

Work wanted—Widow, no encumbrance, desires housekeeper's position, one or two gentlemen. Capable, drives car, best references. Town or city. Write Era Box 281. *1w21

LOST

Lost—On Main St., Newmarket, last Friday morning, sealed envelope containing \$7. Reward. Apply Era box 283. *1w24

MISCELLANEOUS

Dog Owners—Dogs boarded by day, week or month. Clipping and washing. Prices reasonable. Basil Watson, Valcose Kennels, opposite cemetery. Phone 672. c3w23

TOWN OF NEWMARKET

SALE OF LANDS FOR TAXES

TAKE NOTICE that I have prepared a list of lands for sale for arrears of taxes and that copies thereof may be had at the Town Office, 99 Main St.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that in default of payment of the said taxes and costs, the lands will be sold for taxes on the sixth day of September, 1940, at 10 a.m. (Daylight Saving Time) in the Council Chambers, Main St., Newmarket.

DATED at Newmarket this tenth day of May, A.D. 1940.

N. L. Mathews,
Town Treasurer.

CHURCHES**THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Pastor: REV. ARTHUR GREEK

Sunday, July 21, 1940

CONTINUING THE UNION SERVICES**11 a.m. PROPHETIC LIGHT ON PRESENT CONDITIONS****7 p.m. BIBLE PROBLEMS NO. 4****10 a.m. SUN-SCHOOL**

Note: It is prophesied that "wars will cease." Come and consider when and how.

SALE REGISTER

Saturday, July 20—Auction sale of the property, household effects and 1929 Chevrolet coach, the property belonging to the estate of the late Charles Theakston, 56 Gorham St., Newmarket.

Sale at 3 p.m. D.S.T. Terms of

chattels cash. Lyman Rose and H. E. Lambert, executors. F. N. Smith, auctioneer.

WATSON-O'DELL

NUPTIALS HELD

The wedding of Miss Ellen Evelyn O'Dell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Dell, to Arthur Spencer Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Watson, Queenstown, Hill. Interment St. Paul's cemetery.

Ostley—On Monday, July 15, William Edward Ostley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ostley, brother of Hazel (Mrs. Thos. Boland, Toronto) and Mazo (at home), in his 30th year.

The funeral service will be held from the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on Friday, July 19, at 3 o'clock, D.S.T. Interment Queensville cemetery.

Lee—At Bradford, on Wednesday, July 17, Charlotte Ann Hodgson, wife of John H. Lee, in her 81st year.

The funeral service will be held on Saturday, at 2.30 p.m., D.S.T., in St. Paul's Church, Coulson's Hill. Interment St. Paul's cemetery.

Ostley—On Monday, July 15, William Edward Ostley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ostley, brother of Hazel (Mrs. Thos. Boland, Toronto) and Mazo (at home), in his 30th year.

The funeral service will be held from the late residence on Friday, July 19, at 2 p.m., E.S.T., Interment Stouffville cemetery.

Watson—Suddenly at Toronto, Wednesday, July 17, Wm. Henry Watson, husband of the late Margaret Lawson and father of Mrs. Howard William son, Brandon, Man, and of the late Roy Watson, Newmarket, in his 81st year.

Funeral service at his late residence, Lundy Ave., Newmarket, on Sunday, July 21, at 3 p.m., D.S.T., Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Widdifield—At Tottenham, on Sunday, July 14, Susan Widdifield, wife of the late F. C. Widdifield, in her 87th year.

The funeral service was held in the United church on Tuesday, July 16, Interment Pine Orchard cemetery.

NEWMARKET SOLDIERS RECEIVE BOXES

Another box from the Soldiers' Comfort Fund was sent to Newmarket boys overseas last week, according to Alfred Smith, president of the Newmarket Veterans' Association.

"The organization is indeed thankful for the kindly assistance of the ladies of the Newmarket Women's Institute, who purchased the goods, assisted in the packing and sewed the parcels up," said Mr. Smith.

Each soldier received two pairs of socks, 17 pairs of which were received from the Red Cross Society and 17 pairs from the Women's Institute. The boxes this time contained one pound of butter (in special carton), pears, peaches, sandwich paste, tomato juice, biscuits, dates, gum, salted biscuits, chocolate bars, soap, a pipe and lighters (contributed by Bill White).

The present balance in the bank is \$233.49. Donations have been received recently from N. A. Cornell, former principal of the Newmarket public schools, who taught many of these boys, Sid Marwood, and from the members who are contributing monthly amounts.

Close to fifty dollars was realized from the sale of the quilt by the bridge club of eight local ladies. The quilt was won by Harry Glenn, of Charles St.

The following is the correct list of soldiers' addresses in England.

B3857, Galbraith, J., Sapper, Tapperon Sec., 12 Field Co., R. C. Engineers, C.A.S.F., Can. Base P.O.

B21149, Harman J., Gunner, 23rd Med. Battery, C.A.S.F., Can. Base P.O.

B21158, Harman G., Gunner, 23rd Med. Battery, C.A.S.F., Can. Base P. O.

B76090, Bennison C., Cpl., Hrs. Co., Toronto Scottish, M.G., Can. Base P.O.

B73039, Smith, Thos., Pte., 48th Highlanders, C.A.S.F., Can. Base P.O.

B39423, Clark, Verne

ON SALE AT
MORNING'S DRUG STORE
WHITELAW'S BOOK STORE
HESS DRUG STORE
5 cents a copy.

OUR CO-OPERATION INVITED

Beat Barrie 4-3 To Lead League For First Time

ROUSE AND COUSE ARE PITCHERS, TEAMS CLOSELY MATCHED

Taking Barrie Collegians for the third time this season, Aurora for the first time in many years took over leadership of the Simcoe softball league. The score was 4-3, which just about indicates the play, so closely were the two teams matched. The visitors presented their strongest line-up of the season and displayed more dash and dash than in the other games with the locals. Aurora, off to a bad start, kept on plugging and played heads-up ball to win.

It was Harry Couse for Barrie and Harry Rouse for Aurora on the opposing mounds and both boys pitched well. Couse gave only five hits, none until the fourth inning, and he had seven strikeouts. Walks at inopportune times put him in the hole on occasions. Rouse allowed six hits, but pitched the stodier game of the two pitchers and scored his second straight triumph in two starts.

Here of the Aurora win was Wilfred White who came to bat in the sixth inning with the stage set for a melodrama finish. Barrie were leading 3-2, Aurora had men on second and third and two were out. White doubled to both runners home and Aurora scored the winning edge. Holman and Michaniuk made fine fielding plays all night.

For Barrie Gracey had two hits, while Laking, Norris and Marshall were outstanding. Ell

RECEIVE WAR CERTIFICATE BONUSES

The T. Sisman Shoe company recently presented each employee of over one year's standing with a war savings certificate, the amounts varying. It is not known how much was distributed by the firm or in what manner the amounts were determined, but some employees are known to have received as much as \$25.

Crawford of Midhurst umpired behind the plate and handled things in fine style.

Both teams went down in order in the initial inning, but in the second Barrie unleashed a three-hit attack to score two runs. Both teams went down in order in the third. In the fourth a Barrie runner beat out a hit, took second on an overthrow, and scored on an infield out as Cummings bashed the ball.

Miss Evelyn Taylor, R.N., of Toronto, spent the weekend with her father, Major W. H. Taylor, Wellington St.

Mrs. C. R. Boulding, who is attending the nutrition course at the O.A.C., Guelph, spent the weekend at Welland, Ont.

Mrs. Galbraith and Mrs. J. Withrow of Newmarket were in town last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hobson and son of Toronto spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Hobson's sister, Mrs. T. A. M. Hulse, Wellington St.

Messrs. Keith Nesbitt, Jim Jones and several other young men motored to Quebec city on holidays this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Aldrich and Miss Dorothy Aldrich spent the weekend at Rice Lake, Ont.

Keith Davis, of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Davis, Mosley St.

Assistant Treasurer William Large, a former member of council, acted as clerk at Monday's council meeting in the place of Town Clerk Cedric Willis, who has been ill for the past week.

Miss Shirley Fingold returned home on Sunday from a holiday at Lakeview, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Avis, Yonge St., have occupied the Welsh residence on Tyler St.

Lance-Corporal John Withrow, R.C.A.C., when last heard from was at Montreal, P.Q., and is thought to be proceeding overseas with his unit.

Miss Ethel Hamilton, Mosley St., left on Wednesday to visit relatives in western Canada.

Mrs. C. Gibson and family of Toronto are visiting Mrs. Gibson's father, Mr. John Failes, Spruce St.

Miss Letta Knowles and Master Carter Knowles of Toronto are holidaying with their grandmother, Mrs. R. Cockrell, Victoria St.

Mr. and Mrs. Ildy Harris returned this week from a holiday trip.

"Why the increase?" queried Councillor John Stuart.

"The auditor and the department of municipal affairs recommends it," said the mayor.

"Five thousand dollars is enough, we know who we're hiring. It's always been that," said Councillor Stuart.

"I agree," said Councillor Ross Linton.

"We are running the town, not the department of municipal affairs," said Councillor Stuart.

"I think it advisable, but you can take or leave it," said the mayor. "Leave it until a meeting when all councillors are present," said Councillor G. A. C. Gunton.

"This is a remarkable statement for times like this," said Mayor J. M. Walton, as he perused a statement of the town current water arrears. "They are practically all paid except one or two." "Some will be cut off now," said Mr. Large.

"Only in one case was it necessary for the M.O.H. to interfere," said the mayor.

"It shows what can be accomplished with firm action," said Councillor A. J. G. Wilson.

"The only arrears really outstanding were accumulated three or four years ago," said Councillor Ross Linton. "The electric light department has no worries now about bad accounts."

"I propose to introduce a change in the water-by-law next meeting, whereby new services and those cut off will have to pay a deposit," said the water chairman, Councillor E. J. Henderson. "It is the same system as the electric light department has."

"This again stresses the need for utilities commission," said the mayor. "We are spending a large part of our time as debt collectors for the town."

"Too much time," said Councillor Wilson.

"I bet you spend nearly four-fifths of your time on the town's business, Mr. Mayor," said Councillor G. A. C. Gunton.

"It takes up a lot of time," admitted the mayor.

"I don't think we have time enough to put it over to the public this year," said Deputy Reeve C. E. Sparks. "It would need one or two public meetings to explain things."

"If Mr. Linton dropped out of council, who could carry on the electric department as well?" asked the mayor.

"Continuity would result and council work not be burdensome," said Councillor Henderson.

"It takes a new man a year to understand fully his department," said Mr. Linton.

"When will the hydro take over our lighting system?" asked the mayor.

"Our contract runs until 1943, but when we discussed matters with them last year they intimated it would not be renewed," replied Mr. Linton.

"All hydro towns have utility commissions, it will come to Aurora sooner or later," said the mayor as the discussion ended.

VIATION CADETS WILL START WORK IN FALL

Lewis J. Swanson, Victoria St., is forming the aviation cadets for boys in town, told The Era that there has been a most satisfactory response to the plan, but owing to summer holidays and many of the boys being at camp or on vacation further delay, except for registration, will be curtailed until September.

ULL HOUSE ATTENDS WAR SAVINGS THEATRE NIGHT

The theatre night held on Monday evening by E. D. Warren of the Royal Theatre in conjunction with the motion picture industry cross Canada, to bolster the war savings campaign, met with full response from local citizens.

Over 300 tickets were issued and no standing room only sign was soon hung out, as numerous would-be theatre-goers could not gain admission. Theatre owners are also making a direct personal donation to the fund in accordance with the seating capacity of the theatre. Mr. Warren told The Era.

Total take for the night amounted to \$258.75. Carleton Place, which is also owned by Mr. Warren and Mrs. Jenkins, exceeded Aurora by about \$3.

GIRLS CONTRIBUTE TO RED CROSS

The girls of Miss Chappell's class have contributed \$3 to the Aurora branch of the Red Cross, of which they are junior members.

ILL IN TORONTO

Mark Browning, Metcalfe St., is confined to the Toronto General hospital. His condition is reported as favorable.

WANT ALL CLASSES TO JOIN CIVIL GUARD

Application forms for enrolment with the Aurora Civil Guard are now ready and may be made to George Duffield, president of the Aurora War Veterans, or Dr. C. R. Boulding, O. C. of the local corps. Enrolment to date has been most satisfactory," Mr. Duffield told The Era. "We not only want war veterans to join, but all classes in the community. Inspector McCreedy of the provincial police advises me that the formation of this corps is of importance and should continue despite national registration. We hope to be able to make a real contribution to the effort of the dominion government, for we will have a body of trained men available for service anywhere it called upon."

"All hydro towns have utility commissions, it will come to Aurora sooner or later," said the mayor as the discussion ended.

The Aurora Era

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

DOWN THE CENTRE

JAMBOREE

Nuggets Shore, besides hurling a fine brand of ball for the locals, is also tossing them over for Aladdins in the Wanless park league. Gord. Fanning, Tiger utility player, is playing for Knox A. C. in the same loop, his brother being a team-mate of Shore's.

Jimmy Cummings, Tiger captain, who chuck the pill for St. Paul's inter-church club and is said to be pretty fair, turned up to pitch for Knox A. C. the other night, and Shore opposed him. Aladdins won 3-1, Cummings getting the lone run from the school-master with a hit that went for a homer over the right field fence. The management and players deserve a big hand, and don't think they won't get it from the Aurora fans, who are anxious for another look at the gals. Howard Morton wants to show his Mount Albert team to Aurora and here is a real chance for Harry Sutton, Ace Yake, and Co. of the town team, to get down that wager proposition they've been whispering about. The Mounties would probably like to meet them.

Richmond Hill wind up the regular schedule here next Thursday in a game that will have a definite bearing on the play-off situation.

Aurora are about due for Charlie Ryan's boys and both teams need the points.

We were surprised to see Johnny Madill and Charlie Proctor omitted from the list of players filed by the Roses for play-off purposes.

Shore pitched a heady game on the mound, forsaking his all-out

pitching style and being content to make the batters pop up or roll to the infielders. In the pinches, however, he bore down with his fast hook. He gave up eight hits and struck out three, but, except for the last inning, was never in difficulties. Couse, for Barrie, allowed nine bingles and had seven whiffs, but his support was not of the best. Marshall and Laking were the best behind him.

Shore pitched a heady game on

the mound, forsaking his all-out

pitching style and being content to

make the batters pop up or roll to

the infielders. In the pinches, however, he bore down with his fast

hook. He gave up eight hits and

struck out three, but, except for the

last inning, was never in difficulties. Couse, for Barrie, allowed nine bingles and had seven whiffs, but his support was not of the best. Marshall and Laking were the best behind him.

Heaney whiffed to open the

game. Patten and Frank Clubine teamed up in the closed

voucher list in a system similar to that used by Newmarket. Each

week the trade will be switched to

one store, dairy, or bakery. The

vouchers will be good only at the

store designated for that week.

"All the merchants agreed to

this last Monday," said the chair-

man, Councillor Dr. G. A. C. Gun-

ton. "So far as I'm concerned,

the regulations will be strictly en-

forced and if they want tobacco they will have to get it in some other way.

The families will get the full

benefit of every cent spent. I may

say the provincial inspector, Mr.

Connolly, thought our present

system left open to irregularities.

Besides the tobacco irregula-

rities, in some cases change in cash was given to reliefes in

place of all groceries."

"This will give all storekeepers a

fair amount of the relief pur-

chases," said Councillor John

Stuart. "It will also prevent any

irregularities or tampering with

the voucher."

A report was given on the sale

of rubbing alcohol believed to have

been consumed as an intoxicating

beverage by former reliefes.

This was purchased from local drug-

stores and sometimes in Newmarket.

In a period of a few months

92, 72 and 65 ounces respectively

were purchased by these men. One

was reported to have sold

that while he bought the rubbing

BARRIE CITADEL FALLS TO AURORA ASSAULT

Despite the fact that Aurora were

minus McComb, Ray White, and

Harry Rouse, and with only the

youthful Eric Billborough in re-

serve, Len Simons' Aurora soft-

ballers again assumed the role of

killers on Friday night when they

smacked down the league

leading Barrie business college

nine, in the Simcoe county capital,

7-5, in convincing fashion.

George Patten and Frank

Clubine teamed up in the outfi-

ld with Cy Holman, while Tom Birch-

ard, regular second-sacker, turned

up in time for the game. Patten

got three hits in four trips to

the plate. Clubine took the only

chance he had in the outfield in

fine style.

Tom Birchard was the fielding

star of the game with two put-outs

STEDMAN 5¢ to \$1.00 STORES

Newmarket - - Ont.

Special Two-Day Opening Sale

Fri. and Sat. July 19th - 20th

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS

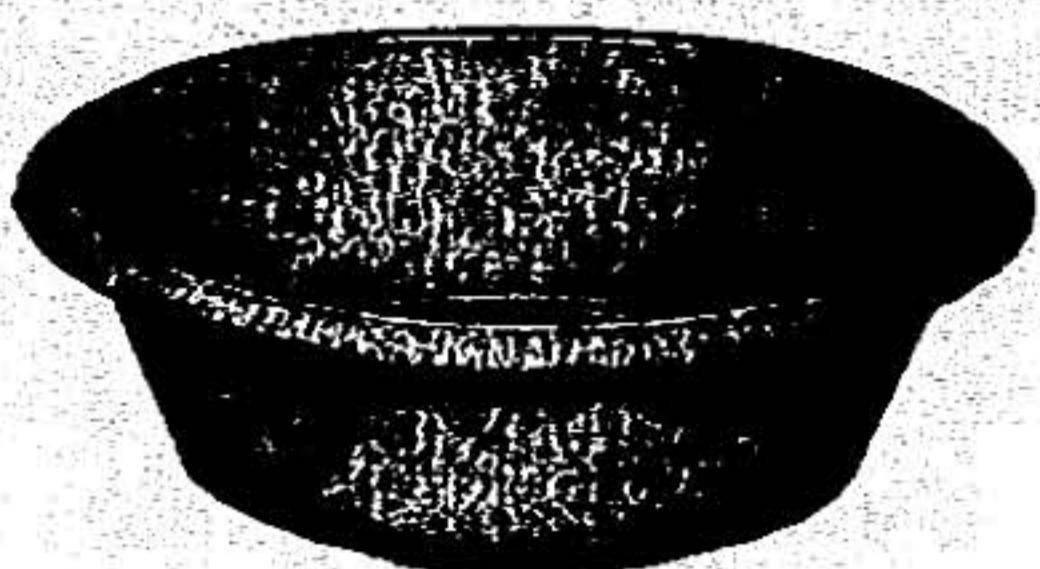


MADE FROM GOOD QUALITY ENGLISH BROAD-CLOTH, IN STRIPES AND CHECK PATTERNS. FULL SIZE.

Sizes 14 to 17

EACH - 89¢

Enamel Dish Pans



Mottled Grey Enamel, Smooth Finish, Roll edge — shaped to fit in Sink. Heavy quality.

Each 25c

Limit 2 to a Customer

Ladies' VOILE DRESSES



MADE FROM FLORAL AND FANCY PATTERNED VOILE. THREE DIFFERENT STYLES IN A VARIED COMBINATION OF COLORS.

SIZES 36 TO 44

EACH 39¢

2 FOR 75¢

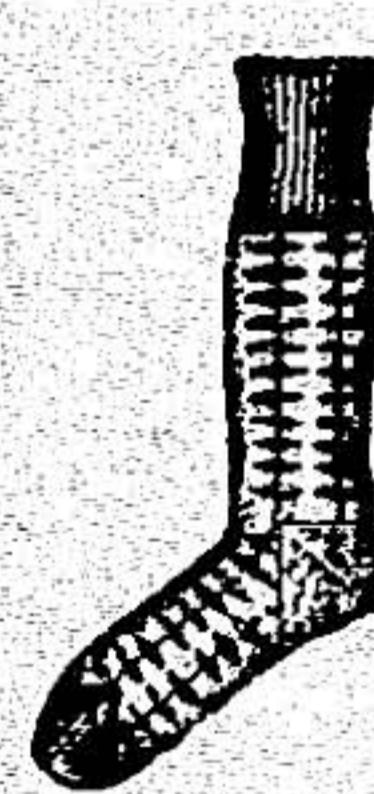
No. 12 Galvanized Pails

HOT GALVANIZED FINISH, STRONG HANDLE
A REAL BUY!



Each 19c

Limit 2 to a Customer



Men's Hose

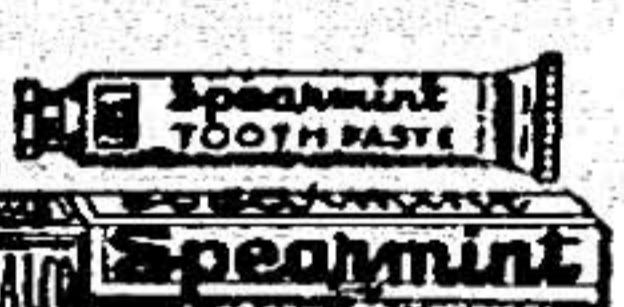
GOOD QUALITY COTTON IN SEVERAL FANCY PATTERNS.
Sizes 10 to 11½

Pair 15c

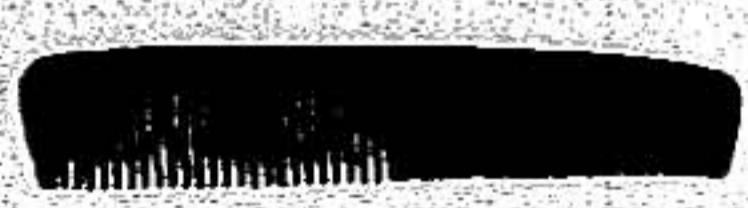
Spearmint Flavor Tooth Paste

PLEASING SPEARMINT FLAVOR

Tube 5c



Dressing Combs



An all purpose Comb in black and colors.

Each 5c

English CARBOLIC SOAP

GOOD SIZE CAKE

3 for 11c

Limit 3 to a Customer

White Cups and Saucers

HEAVY QUALITY SEMI-PORCELAIN

- - 2 CUPS AND SAUCERS

15c

5 Cup China Tea Pots

WHITE BODY CHINA WITH FLORAL DECORATION

Each 25c

Ladies' Cotton Handkerchiefs

ASSORTED DESIGNS IN PRINTED COTTON,
SIZE APPROXIMATELY 10 IN. X 10 IN.

5 for 5c

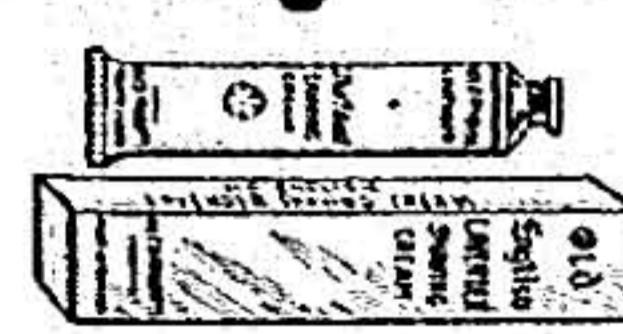
English Face Cloths

GOOD TERRY MATERIAL

3 for 5c

Limit 6 to a Customer

Shaving Cream



TOILET PAPER

6 OUNCE ROLLS OF FINE TOILET TISSUE

Limit 6 to a Customer

Tube 5c

3 for 13c

Ladies' Hosiery

LADY BETH BRAND

Full-Fashioned and Ringless

CHIFFON OR SERVICE WEIGHT

Special Introductory Offer

PAIR

55c

First Grade Salted Peanuts

GUARANTEED FRESH AND EVENLY SALTED

- - Pound 10c

Orange and Lemon Slices

- - Pound 10c

Stedman 5¢ to \$1.00 Stores

Former A & P Location

Newmarket - - Ont.

Child's Print Dresses

Made from good quality Canadian Print in a large assortment of styles and colors.

SIZES 2, 4, 6 YEARS

Each 25c



5 1/2
2-6

Children's Ankle Socks

Art Silk Plaited Over Cotton

Pair 10c

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL**LEGAL**

MATHEWS, LYONS & VALE
Barristers, Solicitors,
Notaries
Solicitors for
Township of East
Gwillimbury
Bank of Toronto
Office—10 Main St.
N. L. MATHEWS, E.C.
E. R. LYONS, B.A.
JOSEPH VALE
Phone 124

KENNETH M. R. STIVER, B.A.
Barrister, Solicitor, Etc.
Notary Public, Etc.
Bank of Toronto Building
Newmarket

ARLEIGH ARMSTRONG
Barrister, Solicitor and
Notary Public, Etc.
ARMSTRONG BLOCK
Phone 555

A. M. HILLS
Barrister, Solicitor and
Notary Public
IMPERIAL BANK BUILDING
Phone 401 Newmarket

J. W. WADE — BARRISTERS
AND SOLICITORS, ARDILL BLOCK,
AURORA. PHONE 15. MONEY TO
LOAN ON FARM PROPERTIES.

DENTAL

DR. BARTHOLOMEW
Dentist

Over Patterson's Drug Store
X-Rays
Phones: Office 245; Res. 450
Evening by Appointment.

DR. R. L. HEWITT
Dentist

McCauley Block, Opp. Post Of-
fice. Evening by Appointment.
PHONE 269-W.
in Mt. Albert Every Tuesday

DR. W. O. NOBLE
DENTIST
OVER IMPERIAL BANK
OFFICE PHONE - - 47-W
RESIDENCE - - 47-J
OPEN TUES., THURS. AND SAT.
EVENINGS

DR. G. A. C. GUNTON
DENTAL SURGEON
TELEPHONE
Office — Aurora — 108
Residence — Aurora — 6
BRANCH OFFICE
Mount Albert 4900

DR. R. E. ROBERTSON
DENTAL SURGEON
SUCCESSOR TO THE
LATE E. V. UNDERHILL
TELEPHONE
OFFICE, AURORA, 198
RESIDENCE, AURORA 199

MEDICAL

DR. S. J. BOYD, M.B.
Graduate in Medicine at To-
ronto University; also Licen-
tiate of the Royal College of
Physicians and member of the
Royal College of Surgeons of
England. Former clinical as-
istant in Moorefield's Eye,
Ear, Nose and Throat Hospital,
London, England.
Eyes tested. Glasses Supplied

26 Main St. Telephone 110.

DR. J. H. WESLEY
85 MAIN ST., NEWMARKET

Phone 13
HOURS 10-12, 4-8.

MISCELLANEOUS

A. STOUFFER
19 Egland St.
Teacher of Piano, Singing and
Violin
Dealer in New and Used Pianos
Pianos Rented. Pianos Tuned

Era classifieds are widely read.

FURNACE WORK
PLUMBING
EAVETROUGHING
OUR SPECIALTIES
See the Bathroom
OUTFITS AT THE SHOP

R. Osborne & Son
THE LEADING TINSMITHS
Imperial Bank Building

STEWART BEARE
RADIO SERVICE
New and Used Radios,
Radio Parts, Tubes,
Batteries, Etc.
113 Main St. Phone 355

COAL - COKE
WOOD
GENERAL CARTAGE
Phone 68
GEER & BYERS
10 Botsford St., Newmarket

F. N. SMITH
Licensed Auctioneer
County of York
All sales promptly attended
to, at moderate charges.
Phone 1877 Newmarket

EDITH A. HAWTIN
Optometrist
75 Main St. Newmarket
Evenings By Appointment
Phone 112

DR. R. L. HEWITT
VITAMIN B-1 now added to
IDAPHOS
NERVE FOOD and TONIC
Improves appetite & digestion
Builds tissues & healthy nerves.
Get this fine spring tonic to-day!
\$1.00 16 oz. bottle
IDAPHOS with VITAMIN B-1
AT BELL'S I. D. A. DRUG STORE

WHEN USING
WILSON'S
FLY PADS
READ DIRECTIONS
CAREFULLY AND
FOLLOW THEM
EXACTLY

Each pad will kill flies all day and
every day for three weeks.
3 pads in each packet.

10 CENTS PER PACKET.
at Druggists, Grocers, General Stores.
WHY PAY MORE?
THE WILSON FLY PAD CO., Hamilton, Ont.

H-FDO Fast
YEAST
The new fast dry yeast
that has revolutionized
home baking needs no
refrigeration!
(Ask Your Grocer)

Going Somewhere?
BUSES LEAVE
FOR TORONTO

a 6:25 a.m. 9:15 a.m. b 7:05 p.m.
7:35 a.m. 11:15 a.m. 8:10 p.m.
8:05 p.m. 3:10 p.m. 10:05 p.m.
4:45 p.m.

a—except Sun. and Hol.; b—Sun.
and Hol.—Standard Time
Northbound Service extended to

BEAVERTON - PARRY SOUND
WASAGA BEACH - CONNECTIONS FOR SUDSBURY AND BLIND
RIVER

BUS TRAVEL INFORMATION
AT
KING GEORGE HOTEL
PHONE 300

GRAY COACH LINES

Era classifieds are widely read.

Maple Hill

The Sunday-school at 10:45 is very encouraging. The attendance is still growing.

In the evening the message concerned the interesting story recorded in Gen. 32, when Jacob experienced a crisis in his life.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knights sang a lovely duet.

On Monday evening Prof. Gordon Brown gave a missionary lecture on the work of the Regular Baptist churches in northern Ontario, Switzerland, and other places throughout the world, which was much enjoyed.

Mrs. A. Knights spent Sunday at the home of her son, Mr. Frank Knights.

Misses Ruth and Rene Knights visited at Mr. Wm. McGill's home on Sunday.

Miss Shirley Knights spent Sunday with Miss Mary Carol Knights.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Scott and family had Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. David Love.

Mr. McAsh had tea on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. Edward King.

Mrs. Deavitt, and sons, visited at the home of Mrs. Deavitt's brother, Mr. Roy Sharpe, on Sunday.

Zephyr

The Zephyr Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. W. M. Rynard on Wednesday, July 24. Roll-call will be answered by "My favorite fruit." Current events will be given by Mrs. R. Harman and Mrs. A. S. Arnold.

The program committee is Mrs. L. Profit, Mrs. J. Doak, Jr. There will be a demonstration. The hostesses are Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. E. Walker, Miss Jean Rynard, Mrs. W. Sellers.

Mr. J. J. Meyers is having some improvements put on his house. Mr. Jas. Meyers is doing the work.

Miss Heffernan of Guelph is spending some holidays with her friend, Miss Helen Rynard.

Rev. and Mrs. Murray and family of Keene called on a few of their old neighbors last Tuesday en route to the Sandford garden party.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Pickering and Nancy left for their home in Timmins last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rynard went to Toronto last Sunday to meet their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Canning. Mr. Canning and Keith, who motored from Stamford, Conn. They will be in Zephyr on Sunday next for a couple of weeks with Mrs. Canning's parents.

Mr. Haig Rynard has been transferred from Halifax to the Pacific coast.

Miss Annie Baker of Toronto is holidaying with her sister, Mrs. Clara Bartlett.

The Misses Pickering of Toronto are spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pickering.

Miss Campbell of Lindsay is visiting her friend, Miss Muriel Lunney.

Mr. Walter Myers has purchased a new truck.

Pottageville

Mrs. Mick Mizuk of Sudbury has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Adrian Hill.

Mrs. Doreen Fawley of Toronto is spending two weeks holiday with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Archibald.

Misses Verna and Elsie Houghton of Newton Robinson spent two weeks holidays with their parents.

Pickling strawberries has been the order of the day this last two weeks.

Mr. Norman VanLuven, his brother, Arthur, and two sisters, Aileen and Ruth, from Toronto, spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Archibald.

Some L.O.I. 415 members went down to Long Branch on Saturday, July 13.

The Pottageville picnic is being held in Mr. McCabe's park on Saturday, July 20.

Mrs. Hattie Cutting of Toronto spent Sunday with her mother, Master Billy Hughes of Toronto is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Archibald.

Mr. Ed. O'Brien spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hughes of Toronto and Mrs. Rodon, and son, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Archibald.

Donald Emerson of Nobleton spent a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Emerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Davidson and George, Mrs. Everett Yorke and Claude and Mr. Geo. Stiles visited at the home of Mrs. Robt. Morrison at Islington on Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mr. Geo. Stiles on Friday of next week, July 26.

Supper will be served from 6 to 8 p.m. on the lawn, weather permitting. All are welcome.

services at Mount Albert on Sunday afternoon.

Several attended the Orange walk at Bradford, July 12, and some went to Long Branch on July 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Robins of Toronto were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watts on Sunday.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cookson on the birth of a son.

A number attended camp meeting at Holland Landing Park on Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Hale and baby, of Martin's Siding, are spending a week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Travis.

A number attended decoration

PEPPER AND SALT

By "PEP"

When the Maple Leaf hockey stars played the Redmen at Sharon last Wednesday, everyone thought it a very good game, but one spectator got the biggest kick of anyone. Margaret Coyle, who hitherto had seen her hockey idols in ones and twos when they paid her a visit, got the biggest dish ever and all in one night. And I would like to bet that the Maples felt the same way about Marg.

Margaret has almost every attribute that a hockey star requires—courage, grit, determination, amiability and the will to win. A large amount of these and a player is a star; a small amount and he is usually just a run-of-the-mine player. The place that Margaret has won in the hearts of a great many people, both in Newmarket and in far-flung places, is one that even a hockey star can never hope to attain.

At present, the Sons of England are king-pins of the local citrus league and they owe their lofty position to the skill of Stan Evans more than anyone else. Take Stan off the mound and the four teams would be fairly even in playing ability; put him on and there is difference enough to warrant placing odds on the England team.

Stan must get his speed and power from a combination of powerful shoulder and arm muscles. As the season advances he shows better control and wiser judgment in choosing his spots and in pacing his game. Probably owes much of this to some wise coaching by brother Charlie, who has had much experience in the game. Stan can go far in Ontario hardball if he improves as he has been doing.

The program committee is Mrs. L. Profit, Mrs. J. Doak, Jr. There will be a demonstration. The hostesses are Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. E. Walker, Miss Jean Rynard, Mrs. W. Sellers.

Mr. J. J. Meyers is having some improvements put on his house. Mr. Jas. Meyers is doing the work.

Miss Heffernan of Guelph is spending some holidays with her friend, Miss Helen Rynard.

Rev. and Mrs. Murray and family of Keene called on a few of their old neighbors last Tuesday en route to the Sandford garden party.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Pickering and Nancy left for their home in Timmins last Sunday.

Mr. Haig Rynard has been transferred from Halifax to the Pacific coast.

Miss Annie Baker of Toronto is holidaying with her sister, Mrs. Clara Bartlett.

The Misses Pickering of Toronto are spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pickering.

Miss Campbell of Lindsay is visiting her friend, Miss Muriel Lunney.

Mr. Walter Myers has purchased a new truck.

He is a drummer in the regimental band, where he finds his bugle band training useful.

Kipling will tell you how necessary a part the regimental band plays in military life.

Tommy has cleaned up on all the "Irish" of his size who were willing to trade punches with him. Since he has exhausted the possibilities in his regiment he is now taking on the air force. Two bouts with air force men are now in the offing. Tom wants to watch that he doesn't do too good a job or his opponents may have to return to civilian life because of injuries sustained.

This is the time of year that many of the local brummels mildly paint the resorts, Lake Simcoe, Musselman's, etc., red. Just as a sailor has a girl in every port so have they a girl in every resort. With each new year acquaintances are renewed or, as in most cases, are newly made. No, this is not the lead-up for the "moral of the story," but it is just a news item long ignored.

Mr. Norman VanLuven, his brother, Arthur, and two sisters, Aileen and Ruth, from Toronto, spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Archibald.

Some of the people from here attended the Free Methodist camp meeting at Holland Landing last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hughes of Toronto and Mrs. Rodon, and son, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Archibald.

Donald Emerson of Nobleton spent a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Emerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Davidson and George, Mrs. Everett Yorke and Claude and Mr. Geo. Stiles visited at the home of Mrs. Robt. Morrison at Islington on Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mr. Geo. Stiles on Friday of next week, July 26.

Supper will be served from 6 to 8 p.m. on the lawn, weather permitting. All are welcome.

services at Mount Albert on Sunday afternoon.

Several attended the Orange walk at Bradford, July 12, and some went to Long Branch on July 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Robins of Toronto were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watts on Sunday.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cookson on the birth of a son.

A number attended camp meeting at Holland Landing Park on Sunday.

